



PATENT  
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18. A method of manufacturing a vehicle alternator having a case, a stator winding and an electrically insulating element disposed between the case and the winding, the method comprising the steps of

providing the insulating in the form of a solid body  
10 having at least one duct portion;  
mounting the insulating element on one of the case  
and the winding, and  
inserting the duct portion through an orifice in the  
case.  
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19. A method according to claim 18 comprising the step  
of mounting the insulating element on the winding.

20. A method according to claim 18 comprising the step  
20 of mounting the insulating element on the case.

REMARKS

Claim 5 has been amended to correct the dependency  
25 and new claims 18 - 20 have been presented to better describe  
the invention. No new matter has been added to the  
application as a result of this Amendment.